

Weekly Intelligencer.

OFFICIAL COUNTY PAPER.

Spell it Charles O'Connor.

Dallas County instructed for Heard. Mr. Etna is still in a state of erudition.

Pettis county has instructed for Heard. Wheat jumped up 8 cents in Chicago Wednesday.

Kansas and Colorado have had rains amounting to floods. Arms consigned to Armagh, Ireland, have been seized at Belfast.

Decorations day was very generally observed throughout the country.

Total imports of merchandise at New York for the week were \$6,993,430.

The two candidates for the Legislature from Saline county, are for Cockrell.

Strawberries have been selling, this week, at Cairo, as low as 24 cents per quart.

Both of the Missouri senators say that Mr. Hyde will be confirmed. He ought to be.

J. H. Hinton, the Butler county nominee for the Missouri legislature, is instructed for Cockrell.

The fund raised for the families of the Chicago policemen killed in the riots amounts to \$70,000.

A washout near Washington, Mo., Tuesday night, detained all Missouri Pacific trains along that route.

Gladstone has received a letter, signed by 500 Protestant residents of Ulster, in favor of Irish home rule.

James Whelan, a Nova Scotia seaman, was hanged at Winchester, England, for murder upon the high seas.

The democratic nominating convention for the fifth judicial circuit of Missouri will be held at Richmond July 8.

Carroll county holds her primary meetings, June 12, to elect delegates to a county convention to be held June 14.

The supreme court of Mississippi has affirmed the decision of the lower court sentencing Doe Bishop to death for murder.

Teachers interested in the matter will find on the outside of this issue the programme, in full, of the State Teachers' Association, to meet at Sweet Springs, June 22.

The anarchists, Spies, Schwab, Parsons, Fischer, Engel, Ling, Leliger, Schnabel, Neebe and Fielding have been indicted at Chicago for the murder of six officers.

It is a little singular that the anti-Cockrell men, who are greatly in the minority, should think it important upon the part of the Cockrell men to advocate their choice.

Senator Hill has introduced a bill in the senate making the impeding or obstructing of railroads, except by legal process, a crime punishable by fine and imprisonment.

Post-Distatist.—Mr. Charles Foster of Ohio says that the republicans of his state will never get tired voting for Blaine; but some states can't stand as much as Ohio, and get tired quicker.

The Orleanist conspirators against the perpetuity of a republican government and the peace of France are to be banished from the country. It looks hard but it is honest. It is the mildest remedy possible.

Rev. Pope Yeaman, D. D., has accepted a call signed by four or five hundred democrats of Boone, asking him to run for congress. The Columbia Herald published the call and reply, and comes out for Yeaman.

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Her most convicted of inciting to lawlessness in New York, and was sentenced to a year's imprisonment and five hundred dollars fine. The judge expressed regret that the law would not permit him to impose a greater punishment.

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JUSTICE TO THE COMMITTEE.

It is very unjust, and, we believe, absolutely and entirely without foundation in fact, to accuse the democratic committee of this county, of having put up a job in Senator Cockrell's interest, or in the interest of any other candidate or candidates. The committee is composed of eight gentlemen whom we believe to be worthy of the trust reposed in them, and who, however they may differ, are actuated by only patriotic motives. As to dogmatic assertions regarding the convenience or inconvenience of June 5, as the day for the primaries, that is simply a matter of opinion upon which a large majority of the democratic voters seem to have expressed themselves as favorable to the date fixed. As clearly as it is the duty of democrats to rebuke corruption in their own party, so clearly is it, also, their duty to sustain and hold up the hands of their representatives when they are endeavoring honestly to do their duty. The immediate constituents of no one member of the committee have found fault with his acts. Who else can fairly do so? There is a spirit of confidence in the air which democrats at the polls today will do well to distinguish from fair and honest criticism.

"IT'S OF NO CONSEQUENCE."

The Intelligencer when it politely mentioned the Odessa Herald's unprovoked offensive paragraph supposed that it was dealing with old gentlemen, who would, as soon as it was pointed out to them that they had been said, or disclaimed any intention of offense, or disclaim any objectionable language. It seems we were mistaken. Knowing as we did that the vagaries of the person criticized had gained for him in the county from which he came to this rather peculiar sobriquet, how easily or unjustly we do not know or care, it was probably foolish in us to have noticed the matter at all, but even with this knowledge we could hardly suppose that there was a mind so dense as to consider an accusation in cold type of answering to the whistle of a master like a dog, a "pleasantry." As to the mere head, it seems to be at the disposal of the committee, judging from the amount of kicking and bucking that is going on there against the democratic county executive committee, resulting in charges against it which are absolutely untrue, and which would come with better grace from a republican than a democratic newspaper, and so baseless as not to be insisted on even for the sake of the committee. As for the Intelligencer it is perfectly serene and satisfied with everybody and with everything. We have not been at all excited as to the Herald's utterances, as it seems to imagine. It says it does not mean us, anyway, so that settles it; but in any event, as Mr. Toots would say, "it's of no consequence." Just in passing, however, let me be excused if we recommended to "our worthy neighbor" to take a light supper, not only to-night but every night.

RECORD YOUR SENTIMENTS.

Democrats voting to-day at the primary should express their choice for United States senator, in order that the instruction to the candidate for representative may be definite and complete. The names of all the known candidates will be found printed on the tickets, viz: Cockrell, Sherwood, Thorburnham and Carter. Col. James N. Barnes' name was printed in the poll books, but before the tickets went to press Maj. J. N. Edwards, who was authorized to speak for him, asked that his name be not printed, as he was not a candidate for the position. This is said in explanation, in order that there may be no misunderstanding regarding the matter.

Nova Scotia wants to secede from the Canadian union. In an address just issued by Premier Fielding, the following occurs: "In the opinion of the government the time has come when the people of Nova Scotia should once more make an effort to obtain release from the union into which they were forced. Dissatisfaction is so wide and deep that many are heard to say that no change could be for the worse. Some of those who were the warm advocates of confederation in 1867 are now the most outspoken in their expressions of hostility. After the failure of the repeal legislation of 1868-9 to accomplish its main purpose the people settled down, not very cheerfully it must be admitted, to make the best of the situation. 'Give the union a long trial,' said some. It has had a long and more than fair trial, and the verdict against it is more emphatic than before. Our Blue Nose neighbors should keep cool. They live far enough north.

The Canadian minister of marine says the cruisers have orders to shoot out of the water any American fishing vessel offering armed resistance. This reminds us of the proclamations of Cete-wayo. Would not his high-nightsiness do well to "go a little slow." Canada may be a pretty big country to be tackled by Louis Riel, but the United States might prove a tougher customer.

English war vessels are concentrating in the vicinity of the Canadian fishing grounds, but the British admiral says the move is neither significant nor important. Being bigger than these gentlemen are more circumspect than the Canadian minister of marine.

It is a pride of democrats in this county that their local organization is pure, fair and honest. Those who for selfish purposes assert the contrary should produce some proof of what they say, or stand convicted of unpatriotic conduct.

Vote your own honest sentiments at the primary, to-day, upon every question presented. That is the way to show what the party thinks, and the only way.

The assessments of railroad, telegraph and bridge property of the state of Missouri place the value at \$16,000,000.

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